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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER					Docket No. COU-002	
	tion No. Conf. #8692	Filing Date November 30, 1999		Examiner J. W. Myhre)	Art Unit 3622
Applicant(s): Steven R. Boal						
Invention: ELECTRONIC COUPON DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS						
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Steven R. Boal

Application No.: 09/451,160

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For: ELECTRONIC COUPON DISTRIBUTION

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SYSTEM

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 16 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 17 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.

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An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures and a clean copy of the Abstract are attached following page 27 of this paper.